







## News Briefs.

Items of Interest Picked Up Around Town...

On the 29th of December a fine girl baby was born to Mr. and Mrs. Reisen, of Deer Creek valley.

Drs. Morrison & Averill dentists will be in Ponoka soon. Time in their future, planned to do all work in their line. The exact date of their visit will be announced later.

Frank Phillips, the old resident of Lacombe who is visiting H. A. Fitch and other friends this week. After living in this vicinity for ten years, Mr. Phillips intends to leave next week for California and make his home there.

Bro. French, of the Wetswiskin Times, accompanied his town's hockey team to Lacombe. He announces newspaper business good in our neighboring town. The Times is a creditable paper and we glad to see it is still supported.

Robert Dick went to Calgary on Tuesday, accompanying his brother Henry to the hospital. Henry's latest attack has been more serious than his former spells of illness and his friends considered it best to seek treatment and, if possible, cure for his disease.

The case of assault against W. L. Johnson brought by N. McEwen was continued in justice court on Monday. Mr. Johnson pleaded guilty and received a fine of \$5. Public sentiment seemed to favor Mr. Johnson or perhaps to favor his son, who had been beaten.

The Lacombe Hockey team defeated Wetaskiwin at Lacombe Saturday by a score of 2-1. This is the second of the regular games between these two clubs both won by Lacombe. The Wetaskiwin boys are going after the third which will be played in the course of a couple of weeks.

Wm. Hewitt, trainmaster of the C.P.R. at Calgary, died at his home in that city on the 19th inst. It will be remembered that Mr. Hewitt was married here last summer to Miss Roat, a sister of Mrs. T. J. West. Mr. West attended the funeral in Calgary.

Miss M. B. Lyons, of Whitewood, Ass., arrived and took charge of the Grand Meadow school last week. Miss Lyons was very favorably impressed with Alberta upon her first arrival and came in and ordered the HERALD sent back home to give her friends an idea of this great country.

Leslie Bailey, who has been in Alberta looking after his real estate the past four weeks, returned to his home at Madison, S. D., Tuesday. Leslie was compelled to admit that many of the stories he had heard, and doubted, about Alberta were true and he left with that knowledge. In his friends he had that he would be back in the spring. Before coming here he was told some of the "yarns"—as he called them—told by his father, Oliver Bailey, but is now satisfied that all are not only possible, but true.

Again in the HERALD in trouble and will have to suspend publication. N. McEwen has forwarded us a brief note saying to stop his paper. This time we don't know whether it is because we did not because we didn't. We do note the fact that he had a scrap with one of his neighbors and we did not mention the fact to him. We did succeed in securing for better or worse a life partner through the use of the invincible printer's ink. The result is the same. Verily, the way of the editor is hard.

The Simons Bros. of the Blundeman, recently their rail and engine from Edmonton and are now on the road to their place of operation about twenty-five miles west of R. The saw rig is a Port Huron Rusher, said to be the best made. The engine is a 20 horse power traction and when the two are set up the boys will have a complete and up-to-date portable saw mill. They expect to saw about 300,000 feet the present season, making four different sets. This is the third year of the rapid development of the Blundeman district. Less than two years ago there was not a settler in the whole country out there, while now the country is thickly inhabited by thrifty and prosperous settlers.

Henry A. Fitch made a business trip to Lacombe to-day.

L. R. Courtright and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Thorsdau from an extended visit in Ortonville and other Minnesota points.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Warren are rejoicing over the arrival of a boy baby at their home north of town on the 19th inst.

The public sale of J. A. Coulson was a very successful one. In spite of the cold weather a good crowd was present and Auctioneers Shantz secured good prices for everything. Cows averaged \$12 to \$13 per head, while calves brought \$12 to \$15 per head.

shape. It is a sad fact that he is the first to be laid to rest in this cemetery.

He leaves to mourn his loss a wife, one daughter, one son, two grandsons and two sisters. These all reside outside, except one brother in California.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. W. Boyl, Mounds assisted by Rev. Perry, Mounds morning. Previous to the end and after he realized that his mortal career was almost over, he made several requests in connection with the conduct of his funeral. These were carried out to the letter by his friends.

The service only manifested the deceased had been an earnest and conscientious Christian and for a number of years had been associated with the Seventh Day Advent church of which he was an active and honored member at the time of his death.

### Card of Thanks.

I desire to express my thanks to the many friends who rendered such timely aid in the recent illness and death, of my beloved husband.

I would especially mention Mr. L. E. Williams, Mr. O. G. Williams and Eugene Rhiannon for their help in time of need, and Mrs. Rhiannon for the beautiful wreath presented. May the Lord reward each one for their kindness.

MRS. ANNIE WING.

### NOTICES

#### Taken Up.

One station wagon, black, with white stripe in face, one hind foot, with hub, about six years old. Owner please call and take same away.

J. R. STRANGE.

#### Strayed—Reward.

From Ponoka, Saturday, January 12, 1919, one bar, mutton weight about 120 lbs, white hair, fore legs black in right eye. Return to my place at mile southeast of Ponoka.

H. J. JONES.

#### Discretion Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership, existing under the firm name of Kendall & Hart is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Kendall retiring. Mr. Hart will continue the business and settle up old accounts.

Fairy Bank, January 4, 1919.

#### Social at Nebraska.

There will be a social held on Thursday evening, the 28th inst., in the Nebraska school house under the auspices of the Methodist congregation of that appointment. A good program will be rendered, consisting of vocal and instrumental music, speeches, recitations, etc. Doors open at 8 p.m.; program to commence at 7:30; after which refreshments will be served. All are welcome.

RV. T. W. FAY.

Pastor.  
Chairman Committee.

**We Recommend**  
**Alberta Condition Powders..**

for feeling at this time of year.

We also carry—  
HERBAGUM and DAY'S POWDERS

**R.W. McKinnell**

Lost.

My light colored fox sold between Piney Creek and store on Jan. 2nd. Will underlye return or report the same to save further trouble.

W. J. EARL.

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From Ponoka one leg gelding with

### Business Locals

**Smoke Seal of Alberta, clear Havanas**

**Cigar, Home Laundry.**

**A. T. Lomax, Salesman.**

**Broad for sale at the Confectionery store.**

**Remember you get two papers**

**for \$1 by paying in advance.**

**Going, going, everything going at big reductions at Fairley's stock clearing sale.**

**The Ponoka HERALD and the Mountain HERALD—one dollar paid in advance.**

**Mountain price only matched the demand had been an earnest and conscientious Christian and for a number of years had been associated with the Seventh Day Advent church of which he was an active and honored member at the time of his death.**

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**Remember that all parties pay**

**one year in advance for a paper receive the Montreal Herald free.**

**Farmers remember the new Alberta Hotel Feed barn when in town. The largest, warmest and best feed barn in town.**

**The two biggest events to be held in 1904 are the St. Louis World's Fair which starts in May and Fairley's big stock clearing sale in January.**

**Algar & Co. are giving 20 per cent off all felt shoes, both ladies' and men's.**

**Now is the time to buy them. Cold weather is coming and they are the best thing to keep the feet warm.**

**The New Alberta Hotel Feed barn is now completed and ready for the patronage of the people. It is the best place in town for farm and ranch teams. Only the best hay and grain kept and reasonable prices charged.**

**Teachers for assessing school tax will be appointed and will be seated at the office of secretary up to the evening of the 22nd inst., the right to reflect any and all bills received. As soon as to be done at once. By Order of the Board of Education, G. O. REED, Sec'y.**

**School Blank.**

**A full stock of assessment and tax notices at this office at eastern prices. Also warrants and receipts printed to order.**

### SHOES!

### Shoes!

**20 per cent off all Felt Shoes.**

**Although the season is getting advanced, we still have a good range of the above goods to show you, and while they last they will be sold at a reduction of 20 per cent.**

**Heavy Rubbers and Sox**

**Some extra good values in this line of Footwear.**

**These goods for everybody in our Boot and Shoe Department, which is a long room. Take a look through and see what you want.**

**"The Busy Store on the Busy Corner."**

**F E Algar & Co.**

**Anything You Want...  
...in hardware**

**Can be had at Our Store. Our Stock is well  
assorted and our Prices the Lowest that are  
consistent with Good Goods.**

**REMEMBER WE MAKE A SPECIALTY OF TIN  
REPAIRING.**

**W. H. SPACKMAN,  
The People's Hardware Store**

### FOR SALE

**For Sale**

**Twelve tons of good hay at a low  
price.**

**W. M. KING,**

**10 miles northwest of Ponoka.**

**For Sale**

**Good seed winter wheat and fall rye.**

**Sec. 30 45-25  
11-3w**

**N. P. NELSON**

**For Sale**

**House and lot on Chipman avenue and two corner lots on East Avenue.**

**Also two A-1 milk cows, a sewing machine and cook stove.**

**J. M. BIRD**

**For Rent**

**750 acres three miles from Ponoka to  
the south.**

**100 acres broken, 12 acres in fall rye, all under fence. For terms call on**

**W. G. CLEARY.**

**For Sale**

**One pair of horses about 8 years old,  
weight about three thousand pounds,  
first class work team. Can be seen at  
my place 1½ miles south of town.**

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